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Ees	3	2001-260986	09/26/01	Japan (with English abstract)			YES	NO

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Ees	4	Co-pending U.S. Application No. 10/619,095, filed July 11, 2003. Title: MULTIPLE NODE NETWORK AND COMMUNICATION METHOD WITHIN THE NETWORK. Inventor: Okuyama, Takashi
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